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Alva E. Smith
Office of the General Counsel
Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

Re: MUR 5328

Dear Ms. Smith:

This is in response to the Commission's letters dated November 1, 2002, addressed to Pelosi for Congress and the Honorable Nancy Pelosi. A designation of counsel is enclosed.

Pelosi for Congress is the principal campaign committee of Congresswoman Nancy Pelosi. The Committee is responsible for the reelection campaign of the Congresswoman. Pelosi for Congress is not related to Team Majority or PAC to the Future, other than that Mrs. Pelosi assisted the two non-connected PACs in their fundraising efforts. Neither PAC contributed to Pelosi for Congress or was involved in any way in her reelection campaign. Pelosi for Congress was not named in the Complaint and should not be a party to it. The complaint should be dismissed with respect to Pelosi for Congress.

Congresswoman Pelosi is currently the Democratic Leader-elect of the U.S. House of Representatives. Before being elected to that post, she served as the Democratic Whip for the House, the second highest Democratic leadership position in that body. As a leader of her party, she has been instrumental in raising funds for Democratic candidates around the country. She has done this in innumerable ways: through events for candidates, through the national and state party organizations, and through nonconnected PACs that support Democratic candidates, such as Team Majority and PAC to the Future.

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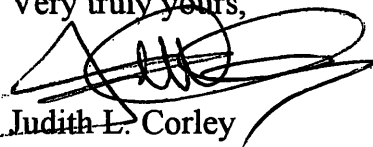
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Her role in supporting Democratic candidates and committees supporting Democratic candidates is a natural one for a leader of the party. It is a role that is played by all leaders, both Democratic and Republican, who are working to elect majorities for their parties in the House. The Complaint is without merit with respect to Mrs. Pelosi and should be dismissed.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,


Judith L. Corley
Counsel to Respondents

STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL

Please use one form for each respondent.

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The above-named individual is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

Paul Pelosi

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RESPONDENT'S NAME: The Honorable Nancy Pelosi
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